

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 17.

LUXURIOUS SOCIALISM.—If the socialist doctrine is capable of intelligent definition it is that what the richest enjoy of the good things of this life everybody shall enjoy. But even in socialist circles the curse of inequality has not yet been banished. Dr. Aveling and his wife, the famous English apostles of socialism, who have spent three months in trying to convert the American people to the doctrine of social equality, have just been hauled over the coals for extravagance by the socialist-labor party of New York, under whose auspices they had undertaken their lecture tour. The distinguished lecturers rendered a bill of \$1,900 for expenses incurred during the lecture tour. The national executive committee, to whom the bill was referred, were decidedly of the opinion that the bill was extravagant, and in auditing it reduced it to \$1,500, claiming that even at that figure it was too high. The friends of the Avelings appealed to a general meeting of the party held last week. Socialistic political and business meetings appear to be usually held on Sunday. The report of the committee was sustained by an overwhelming majority, the rank and file of the party protesting that the cause of socialism was not promoted by the five dollars spent for cigars by Dr. Aveling or by the smaller amount appearing on the bill. Neither did they think that the \$100 worth of theater tickets or a wine and board bill of \$42, or \$25 spent for carriage bouquets were absolutely essential to the promulgation of the gospel of equality. One socialist woman in the meeting had the temerity to ask, "What have carriage bouquets to do with socialism? Why, I have lived for an entire month on the more intelligent of the socialists that Dr. Aveling and his cigarette smoking wife were about as selfish as the average of property-holders. They were willing to preach the gospel of social equality, but they wanted somebody else to practice it."—*Phila. Times.*

Texan marriage notice.—"No cards, no cake, no flowers, no thanks, no regrets, nobody's business."

The "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce cures "female weakness" and kindred affections. By druggists.

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The GAZETTE is now the oldest paper in the State, and with few exceptions the oldest in the country, and its usefulness has been demonstrated and appreciated during the EIGHTY-SEVEN YEARS of its existence. In its columns has always been found a mirror of passing events, and the careful chronicling of the history of what is going on in the world has ever been its aim. It is always welcomed in the household, while in the counting room and workshop it has become invaluable.

The GAZETTE has better facilities for obtaining news than any paper outside of the national capital. Situated as it is so close to the great centre of news, it enjoys daily the benefit of the Associated Press dispatches from every part of the world; hence its patrons can read from its columns in the evening what has transpired that day in every portion of our own domain as well as from every part of the habitable globe.

Consequently it is an every day occurrence for the GAZETTE to publish telegrams from the various European capitals twelve and fifteen hours earlier than the morning papers.

Another feature that serves to make the GAZETTE a great desideratum with merchants is its afternoon market reports from New York, Baltimore, Chicago and other centres.

Correspondence from Washington, Richmond and every section of the State, is published regularly, and all events of interest occurring within the bounds of the Commonwealth are to be found in the columns of the GAZETTE.

The local department furnishes a full and complete history of everything that occurs in and near the city, and this feature will, as ever, receive careful attention.

The GAZETTE's circulation is steadily increasing, especially among people who consult its advertising columns before purchasing. That this is self-evident may be inferred from the fact that a large country edition—nearly as large as the daily—is sent all over this section of country three times a week, and is read by thousands, most of whom send here or to contiguous cities to make purchases. The advantages of advertising in the GAZETTE are, therefore, apparent.

RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION.
Daily Gazette, per annum, \$6.00
Tri-weekly Gazette, for country, 4.00
75 CENTS CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, best known brands, bought before the advance, for sale low by J. C. MILBURN.

BAKING POWDERS.



Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. **ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.**, 108 Wall Street, New York.

COAL AND WOOD.

Marine Railway, Shipbuilding & Coal Co.
(Successors to John P. Agnew & Co.)
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN
Coal and Wood.
Georges Creek, Cumberland, Coal,
Run of the Mine and Lump,
WEST VIRGINIA SPLIT
(The Finest Grade Coal),
RED AND WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE,
All sizes and best qualities.
Wood.
Hickory, Oak and Pine, in the stick or sawed and split.

All orders left at the drug store of W. F. Creighton or telephoned to our office will receive prompt attention.
Finest shipping facilities by rail and water.
Office and yard and wharves corner Franklin and Union streets. my20

COAL.
We invite the attention of select and discerning customers to our carefully selected and carefully prepared COAL of the following varieties:
LYKEN'S VALLEY,
LOBBERY and
SHAMOKIN RED ASH.
WHITE ASH (free burning and hard) of steam, or broken, egg, stove and nut sizes.
Also **GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND** and **KANAWHA SPLIT**, from West Va.
Making Coal a specialty we aim to keep only the HIGHEST GRADES, and having two large Storage Yards, each variety is kept separate, and is especially prepared for family use.
Yards located, and all Coal sent out WELL SCREENED AND FREE FROM IMPURITIES.
Dealers, families, public institutions and manufacturers supplied at lowest market rates—per ton of 2240 lbs.
J. Z. ZIMMERMAN,
(Successor to T. J. McBarney & Co.)
Wharf and Yards foot of Queen st my7

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c. just received at 88 King, corner of Royal street and for sale at a small advance—wholesale and retail. Rodgers & Son and other make of Carvers and Forks, a great variety. Rodgers & Son, and other make of Table and Breakfast Knives. Genuine Rodgers & Son, Henrich and other make of Scissors, Pocket Cutlery in great variety, several hundred patterns. Table Knives, with Forks to match, at low prices. Enterprise, Champion and other Meat Cutters, all sizes. Brown's Flexible Rubber Weather Strips, the best in use, with a great variety of other goods in our line, for sale cheap. Special attention is asked to a large lot of **Fry's Solid Steel Scissors** and **Shears**, for sale at a large reduction from usual prices. Call and see, at 88 King, corner of Royal street. dec7

DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINES.

The good qualities of the above machines are now well established.
We are selling them at as low a price as they can be purchased in any of the larger cities. They are prepared to sell as much for old machines of any kind as is possible.
We have seen so much good done by the "Domestic," that we wish every family to have at least one in their house. Prices fixed, but terms accommodating.
Call and examine, or send for a circular. oct22

M. B. HARLOW. JAMES R. CATON.

Harlow & Caton,
Real Estate Agents and Brokers,
ROOM 2 MARKET BUILDING.
Real estate bought and sold, and loans made and negotiated on real estate.
We have on our list a large number of desirable properties for sale both in the city and country. mh8-tf

VINEGAR! VINEGAR!
F. A. REED & CO.,
Agents for the
Holly Vinegar and Preserving Company
OF HOLLY, MICHIGAN.

Offer a full line of pure goods, to the trade only, with special inducements. ject17

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, PISTOLS, &c., at 88 King street corner of Royal, Alexandria, Va.—The subscribers invite the attention of wholesale and retail purchasers to their large and well selected stock of goods in their line, which were bought in quantity at bottom prices, and will be sold at a small advance. We invite a comparison of prices and quality of goods at 88 King, corner of Royal street. sep14

FLOUR!
PILLSBERRY'S BEST MINNESOTA PATENT,
JONES'S HUNGARIAN
BAKER'S CRUSTAL
TENNEY'S OUR NEW SOUTH
CHOICE FAMILY.
The above are the finest brands of Flour made. ap20

CALL AT 88 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.
The subscribers have on hand a large stock of fine goods in their line suitable for the season, such as Table and Pocket Cutlery, Skates, Tool Chests, Money Banks, Call Bells, &c. Call and see. Store will be kept open at night during the week. dec21

PERRY'S HARNES OIL SOAP.
Three sizes—\$1.50 and 25c sizes; the finest article in the world for harness. For sale by W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. ject17

S.S.S. DRY STATE! DRY STATE!
The above preparation, in 50-cent packages, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

DARB FENCE WIRE has dropped again in price, and those in want will do well to buy now, as when spring opens it will advance. Large stock in store. oct28

SCOTCH WOOL KNIT GLOVES, Cloth Gloves and Fur-top Dogskin, at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50, at nov19

EXTRA CHOICE NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES and **SUGAR** received direct and for sale by jan5

HONEY and MAPLE SYRUP for sale at jan3

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

WM. F. BROOKES & CO.,
BROKERS
—AND—
Commission Merchants
166 Pennsylvania Avenue,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

GROCEER, TEA DEALER
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT.
No. 17 North Royal street, near Market square.
Orders and consignments solicited; they will receive careful and prompt attention. ap19

CHARLES KING & SON.

Wholesale Grocers,
67 CAMERON STREET
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
FRANK HUME,
WHOLESALE
GROCEER AND LIQUOR DEALER,
No. 454 Pennsylvania ave.,
Washington, D. C.

All goods packed and delivered free of charge. mh18-1y

PHILIP R. HOOE, No. 2 Prince street,
GENERAL SHIPPING
AND **COMMISSION MERCHANT.**
Grain a specialty.
Agent for steamers to Norfolk, connecting with line to Boston, Providence and the East. dec15

W. A. SMOOT & CO., G. S. FRENCH.

W. A. SMOOT & CO.,

COAL, SALT, PLASTER.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Office—Smoot's Wharf.

Special attention paid to forwarding.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

And Dealers in

ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Have on hand GIBSON'S XXX, XXXX, XXXX

and PURE OLD RYE, OLD CABINET

and MORGAN WHISKIES; also BAKER'S and

THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKIES, to which

they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise shall

receive prompt attention.

Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Pro-

duce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest

market prices and prompt returns.

Northeast corner of Cameron and Royal streets. sep14

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

THOMAS PERRY,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT

And Dealer in

FLOUR, FISH, SALT, and FERTILIZERS

Also Agents for

WATTS' RICHMOND CAST AND CHILLED

PISTONS. ALEXANDRIA, VA.

HARLOW BROS.,

GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION

MERCHANTS AND

Dealers in

WINE AND LIQUORS.

FLOUR, GRAIN AND COUNTRY PRODUCE

SOLICITED.

PROMPT RETURNS AND LIBERAL AD-

VANCES ON GOODS IN STORE.

AGENCY OF LAFAYETTE AND SPOTING,

BLASTING AND MINING POWDER AND

COTTON AND WATER-PROOF FUR.

N. W. cor. Cameron and Royal sts. mh12

MY STOCK OF ALL WOOL AND MERINO

Underwear is now full and complete, those

who want good goods at low prices will find them

at my store. [609] W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

CANTONINE! CANTONINE!—Bum's ever

ready CANTONINE, a perfect cure for Bagels,

Wagons, Carts, &c. Never fails. Never Childs.

For sale by [609] W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

TOMATO CATSUP, Chow Chow, Mixed Must-

ard and Mixed Pickles in bulk, for sale in

quantities to suit by nov19

IF YOU find it a task to select Xmas gifts, call

at E. J. MILLER, SON & CO.'S and examine

their new stock of ornamental and serviceable

wares, which they are offering at remarkably low

prices. Our store is open every night. dec13

UNCAVANNED SUGAR-CURED HAMS

BREAKFAST PIECES AND SHOULDERS

just received by J. C. MILBURN.

WOODBURN SARVEN WHEELS are the best.

Full stock at JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,

Alexandria, Va. sep1

PODGERS' FINE TABLE CUTLERY, Weiss's

celebrated Scissors, and Rogers Bros.' Plated

Spoons and Forks, for sale low by

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS. nov3

BILE BEANS

CURE MALARIA.

Just received and for sale by

W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. oct19

BROWN'S FLEXIBLE WEATHER STRIPS;

cheapest and best; any one can apply them.

For sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS. nov19

IF YOUR CHICKENS ARE SICK,

TRY

LUNT'S CHICKEN CHOLERA CURE.

Sold by all druggists and grocers. mh31

STAIN! STAIN! STAIN!—Walnut, Oak, Cherry

and Mahogany Stain, in 15-cent boxes, for

sale by W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. sep18

SQUARE, OCTAGON AND FLAT CAST STEEL

will be sold at 88 King street, corner of Royal,

at a greatly reduced price. Quality warrant-

ed. [oct25] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

A LARGE assortment of Wagons, Tables, Desks,

Sleighs and Willow Doll Carriages, from 50c

to \$2, at

dec23

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

STONE'S COD LIVER OIL, a perfectly pure

oil, highly recommended by our city physi-

cians. A supply just received by

dec1

E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

CAMELS' HAIR SHIRTS AND DRAWERS that

have been selling at \$1 reduced to 75c. A

great bargain.

dec7

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

AMORE'S MINCE MEAT AND ENGLISH

PIZZA PUDDING.

nov24

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

SATISFACTION TOBACCO received to-day di-

rect from the factory, and for sale low by

dec23

J. C. MILBURN.

WOOL HODDS, SCARFS, MITTS and Gloves

in every quality and color, at

dec7

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

RHEUMATISM CURED BY DR. MITCHELL'S

Celebrated Rheumatism Plaster, for sale by

ap11

W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

GREEN MOUNTAIN ASTHMA CURE, a sure

cure for Asthma, just received and for sale by

dec19

W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

25 BBS SUPERLATIVE FLOUR just re-

ceived by

jan13

J. C. MILBURN.

J. & R. MORLEY'S DOUBLED SOLED ST.

per Stout Brocaded Half Hose, for

nov24

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

MALAGA GRAPES and CAPE COD CRAN-

BERRIES just received.

oct20

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

RAILROADS.

PIEDMONT AIR LINE ROUTE.
RICHMOND AND DANVILLE R.R. CO.
CONDENSED SCHEDULE, IN EFFECT DE-
CEMBER 19th, 1886.
Trains run by 75th Meridian Time.

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 50. Daily.	No. 52. Daily.	No. 54. Daily.
LEAVE			
Washington	9:00 a.m.	11:00 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Alexandria	9:25	11:25	5:55
Manassas	10:25	12:25	7:07
Warrenton	10:50	12:50	7:35
Orange	12:25 p.m.	1:55	9:01
Charlottesville	1:45	3:00	10:05
Lynchburg	1:45	3:15	10:05
Franklin Junction	5:30	6:45	
ARRIVE			
Danville	6:45	7:45	
Asheville	6:45	7:45	
Hot Springs	11:20 a.m.	10:40 p.m.	
Atlanta	1:40	7:00	
Louisville	7:40	7:00	
Cincinnati	7:40	7:00	

NORTH BOUND.	No. 51. Daily.	No. 53. Daily.	No. 55. Daily.
LEAVE			
Danville	10:50 a.m.	11:40 p.m.	
Franklin Junction	11:30	12:37 a.m.	
Lynchburg	1:10 p.m.	2:05	
Charlottesville	3:30	1:15	5:20 p.m.
Orange	4:40	1:25	6:20
Warrenton	6:25	6:30	7:35
Manassas	7:05	7:10	8:25
Alexandria	8:05	8:10	9:20
ARRIVE			
Washington	8:25	8:30	9:40